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Applicant(s): Sovia et al.

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FOR SHORT-RANGE E-COMMERCE: METHODS, SYSTEMS,  
APPARATUS AND PROGRAM PRODUCTS

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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Sir:

Kindly consider the following election in response to the July 24, 2006  
Restriction Requirement in the above-identified application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on  
page 2 of this paper;

**Election/Restriction** begins on page 12 of this paper;

**Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper; and

**Authorization** begins on page 14 of this paper.